



March 2, 2017

Public Meeting #2 Comments Summary

Harkers Island Bridge
Replacements Project
(STIP No. B-4863)

1) Where do you live? (82 responses)

Harkers Island	59	72%
Straits	18	22%
Beaufort	0	0%
Morehead City	0	0%
Other	5	6%

2) How often do you travel on the Harkers Island bridges? (78 responses)

Rarely	2	3%
1-3 days per week	16	21%
>3 days per week, but not every day	11	14%
Daily	49	64%

3) How often do you travel under/through the Harkers Island bridges? (76 responses)

Rarely	48	63%
1-3 days per week	16	21%
>3 days per week, but not every day	5	7%
Daily	7	9%

4) Do you have property within the project study area? (77 responses)

Yes	12	16%
No	65	84%

4) If yes, what is your property's use? (37 responses)

Residential	34	92%
Business	1	3%
Industrial	0	0%
Recreational	1	3%
Other	1	3%

5) Which alternatives are best and worst for the Harkers Island Bridge Replacements Project? (74 responses)

First Preference - Alt. 2	0	0%
First Preference - Alt. 3	5	7%
First Preference - Alt. 4	7	9%
First Preference - Alt. 5	62	84%
Second Preference - Alt. 2	6	11%
Second Preference - Alt. 3	21	38%
Second Preference - Alt. 4	27	48%
Second Preference - Alt. 5	2	4%
Third Preference - Alt. 2	8	21%
Third Preference - Alt. 3	13	34%
Third Preference - Alt. 4	15	39%
Third Preference - Alt. 5	2	5%
Fourth Preference - Alt. 2	24	67%
Fourth Preference - Alt. 3	1	3%
Fourth Preference - Alt. 4	7	19%
Fourth Preference - Alt. 5	4	11%

6) If Alternative 5 is chosen as the Selected Alternative, would you support the County taking ownership of the existing Bridge No. 96 connecting the mainland to the center fishing island? (67 responses)

Yes	59	86%
No	8	12%



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7) How often do you use the following amenities: (75 responses)

Harkers Island Beach Access

Daily	11	14%
Weekly	15	20%
Monthly	11	14%
Rarely	27	36%
None	12	16%

Straits Fishing Pier

Daily	1	1%
Weekly	5	7%
Monthly	6	8%
Rarely	34	46%
None	28	38%

Straits Boat Landing Access

Daily	2	3%
Weekly	10	13%
Monthly	21	28%
Rarely	30	40%
None	12	16%

9) Were display maps and handouts easy to read and understand? (69 responses)

Yes	68	99%
No	1	1%

10) Were the Project Team members helpful and clear in their explanations? (69 responses)

Yes	67	97%
No	2	3%

11) Based on the information available, were all substantial questions answered? (73 responses)

Yes	65	89%
No	8	11%

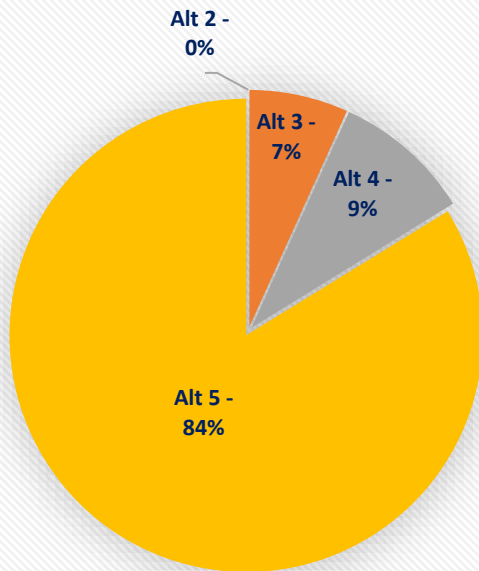


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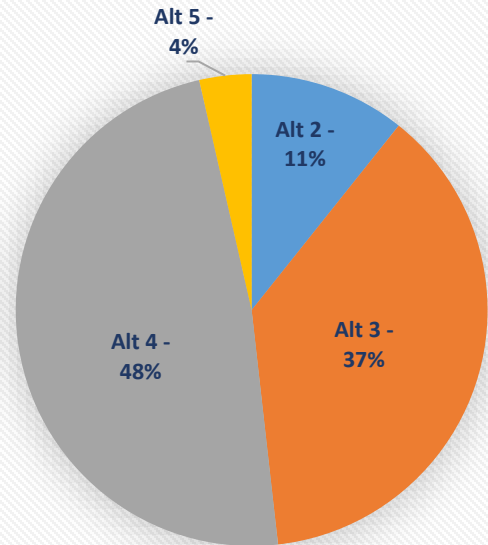
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Preferred Alternative - by Public

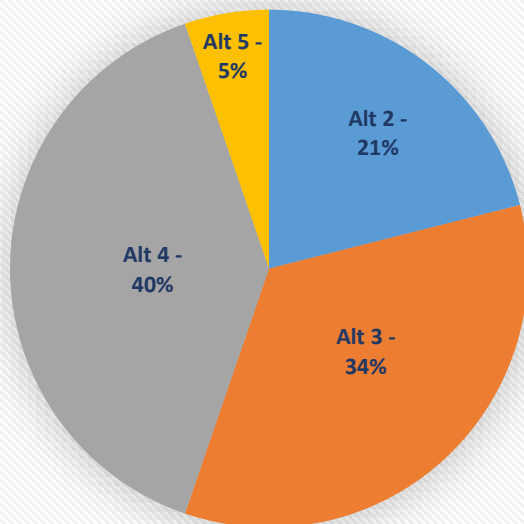
Alternative Selection - First Preference



Alternative Selection - Second Preference



Alternative Selection - Third Preference



Alternative Selection - Fourth Preference

